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RESPONSE TO NOTICE
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In response to the "Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional)", mailed July 22, 2004,
applicant hereby submits the following:

1. Abstract.
2. Request for Extension of Time.
3. Check for \$55.00 to cover the filing fee.
4. A copy of the "Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional)".

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 06/28/2004 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 04/26/2004 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application. Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- An abstract of the technical disclosure not exceeding 150 words in length and commencing on a separate sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 1.72(b) is required. An abstract was not provided for this application.

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